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### NORMAL FACULTY EXAMINATIONS

The examinations of the several classes at the Normal School by the faculty, were held last week. That good work has been done during the past year by both the faculty and students is evidenced by the fact that Dr. Waller made the announcement in chapel last Saturday morning that every student in the regular normal course had passed the examinations, and would be allowed to go before the State examiners next week.

The state examinations will begin next Monday morning at 8 o'clock. The board is composed of W. S. Hertzog, High School inspector of the department of Public Instruction; Principal E. O. Lytle, of Millersville; Supt. J. H. Alleman, of Dubois; Supt. C. W. Stine, York county; Supt. C. G. Lewellyn, of Fayette county; Supt. George W. Marr, of Chester county; Supt. John D. Goodwin, of Crawford county.

In the college preparatory department only one out of fifteen students failed to pass the faculty examinations. Those who passed in this course are: Harrison R. Barrow, Latin Scientific, Ringtown; LeRoy H. Callender, Latin Scientific, of Sweet Valley, Pa.; F. H. Cintron, Latin Scientific, Cagreas, Porto Rico; Ethel Creasy, Classical, Bloomsburg, Pa.; John W. Cressler, Medical Prep., Wilkes Barre; H. Gladstone Hemingway, Latin Scientific, of Bloomsburg; Joseph C. Kockczynski, Medical Prep., of Mount Carmel; Thurman Krumm, Classical, Turbotville; Thomas Ray Mather, Classical, Benton; Robert L. Matz, Classical, McKeesburg; Harold L. Moyer, Classical, Bloomsburg; Jesse Ruhl, Latin Scientific, Bloomsburg; Marion C. Smith, Latin Scientific, Conyngham; Robert F. Wilner, Medical Prep., Plymouth.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

The fortieth annual Convention of the Columbia County Sunday School Association is being held today and tomorrow at Orangeville. The officers of the Association are as follows:

President, Myron I. Low, Lime Ridge.  
Vice Presidents, H. R. Bower, Berwick; Prof. O. H. Bakeless, Bloomsburg; C. E. Yorks, Benton; Chas. A. Shaffer, Berwick; Fred T. Ikeler, Bloomsburg; N. Beishline, Stillwater; R. T. Smith, Benton.

Field Secretary, Miss Martha Robison, Espy.  
Recording Secretary, Miss Martha Powell, Bloomsburg.  
Corresponding Secretary A. W. Spear, Light Street, R. F. D.

Treasurer, Mrs. Anna McHenry, Stillwater.  
Home Department Secretary, J. B. Nuss, Bloomsburg.  
Supt. of Normal Work, Miss Martha Robison, Espy.  
Supt. of Organized Adult Bible Class Movement, G. R. Styer, Berwick.

Primary and Junior Superintendent, Miss Eunice Spear, Light Street.

### MISS LETSON WILL RETURN.

Miss Blanche Letson, former instructor in vocal music at the Normal school, and who during the past year has had a leave of absence to continue her studies in New York City, will resume her position as teacher of vocal music next year. She possesses a voice of rare excellence, and her many friends will be glad to see her here again.

### HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT.

The largest class ever graduated at the High School received their diplomas last Thursday night at the Columbia Theatre, where the commencement exercises were held.

The class included Henry W. Smith, Mary E. Shambach, Herman D. Deihl, Elmer J. Herring, Paul Z. Hess, Laura M. Hartzell, Geraldine I. Hetler, Florence E. DeWitt, Stephen K. Wells, Marian E. Mauser, J. Gilbert Henrie, Mary M. Ohl, Elizabeth R. Eves, Elizabeth M. Ferguson, Nola C. Pegg, Elizabeth J. Robbins, Emma P. Sharpless, Arthur L. Walter, Jean E. Richard, Edward E. Hippensteel, Jacob R. Brobst, Edward P. Reaser, Edna C. George, Donald F. Ikeler, Dorothy M. Giger, Bion R. Hagenbuch, Hurley E. Walter, Grace E. Cook, Charles M. White, Carolyn E. Hower, Isaac J. Smith.

### GONE TO HARTFORD.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Elwell and Miss Sara Milleisen have gone to Hartford, Conn., where they will attend the commencement festivities at Trinity College during the coming week.

Edward Elwell is in the graduating class in the classical course. The exercises begin on Friday night with the Senior Assembly, of which he is chairman of the committee of arrangements. On Saturday night comes the Senior Dramatics, an original musical extravaganza, in which he takes part, and for which he wrote a number of the lyrics.

On Monday is Class-Day, when he will fill the post of class poet, an honor which was unanimously accorded him. Wednesday is commencement, and then his college days are over.

### MEN'S BIBLE UNION.

A meeting of the Men's Bible Union, to which the public was invited, was held in Columbia Theatre last Sunday afternoon. The house was packed. Hon. Fred Ikeler delivered an eloquent address on "The World's need of Christian Men", and the balance of the program consisted of spirited congregational singing led by Prof. O. H. Yetter, a solo, by Miss Smith, of the Normal School, a quartette, "Seek Ye the Lord," Messrs. Fritz, Ent. Vanderslice and Yetter, and a tenor solo, by Herman Fritz.

### BAND FESTIVAL.

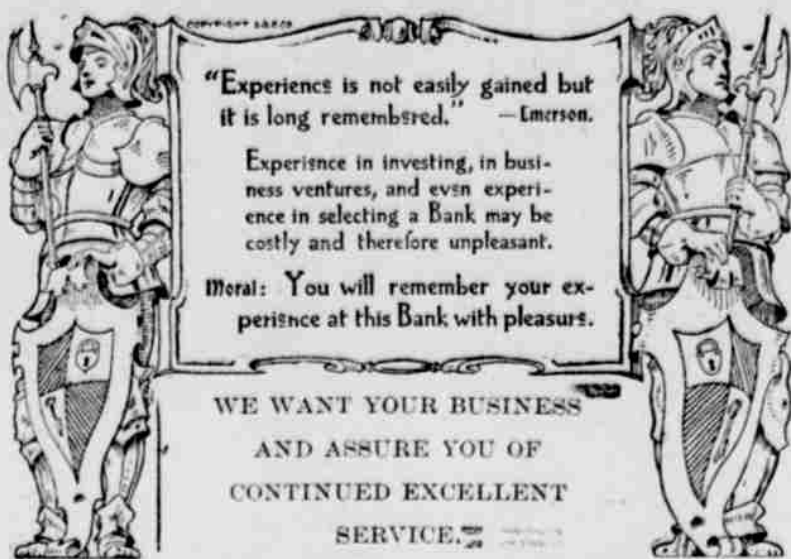
Nearly thirty-eight years ago the Bloomsburg Band was organized. It has kept up the organization during all these years, and has furnished music on many public occasions without charge. The interest and energy of the President, T. L. Gunton, has done much towards keeping up the organization.

On Friday and Saturday of this week the Band will hold a festival at the Town Hall. Refreshments of all kinds will be served. They are worthy of a very liberal patronage. Go and see them.

### NURSES WILL GRADUATE.

The commencement exercises of the Nurses' graduating Class of the Joseph Ratti Hospital will be held in the Normal Auditorium on Friday evening. The members of the class are Mary Celestine Meekins, Anna Genevieve Doyle, and Anna Pauline Kelly.

Judge Hinkley, of Danville, will deliver the address.



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### THE COURT'S DOINGS.

At a special session of court on Monday the following business was transacted:

In the estate of Sarah L. Morgan, late of Montour township, deceased, upon petition presented by C. J. Fisher, Esq., the Court appointed I. B. Giger guardian of the six minor children. Bond in the sum of \$125 to be given for each ward.

A. L. Fritz, Esq., presented the report of John G. Freeze, Esq., master, recommending a charter for the Ebenezer Cemetery Company of Center township. The charter was granted by the Court.

Upon petition presented by W. C. Johnston, Esq., George Rider was appointed guardian of the four minor children of Nelson Munson, deceased. Bond to be given in the sum of \$250 for each ward. The guardian was allowed, upon petition presented, to expend one dollar per week of the estate of each ward toward their support.

The report of C. E. Geyer, auditor in the estate of Buckalew Bros., was upon motion of Fred Ikeler, Esq., confirmed nisi as of June 9, 1909.

Mr. Ikeler also presented a petition for an amendment to the bill in equity in the case of Thomas Brittain vs. Columbia Brewing Company which was allowed.

Upon motion of Fred Ikeler, Esq., the return to the order of sale in the estate of Mathias Frantz was confirmed nisi.

In the matter of the Locust Mountain Water Company vs. Roaring Creek Water Company and in the condemnation proceedings of the Roaring Creek Water Company vs. Locust Mountain Water Company, upon motion of Mr. Ikeler the rules in the cases were continued until the first Monday in October.

John G. Harman, Esq., presented a petition for the discharge of Michael Tersavage who had been convicted of carrying concealed weapons and had been sentenced to serve six months in the county jail which he had done. He was discharged under the insolvent laws.

N. U. Funk, Esq., presented a petition for an amendment to the charter of the Bloomsburg Literary Institute. It appearing that the Act of Assembly had been complied with the amendments were permitted by the Court.

In the estate of James M. Seesholtz, late of Berwick, deceased, the order of sale granted was revoked, and instead the administrator, F. A. Witman, was given permission to place a mortgage on the real estate of the decedent. The mortgage to be for \$385.71 to S. L. Seesholtz and payable at the death of the widow.

Mr. Jackson also presented the petition of Ida M. Brown for a subpoena in divorce on the grounds of desertion which was granted.

In the matter of the divorce proceedings of Laura E. Havland vs. Edward D. Havland, W. E. Elmes, Esq., presented the report of the master recommending a decree.

In the estate of Mary M. Parr, late of Berwick, dec'd J. L. Evans, Esq., presented a petition for specific performance of contract which was granted. During her life time the decedent owned a house and lot of ground in Millville which she contracted to sell to William H.

### FLAG DAY.

Flag Day was not generally observed here on Monday, only a few of the national emblem being visible.

Fort McClure Chapter of the D. A. R. observed the day by holding a meeting at which there were appropriate exercises. The meeting was held on the porch of Miss VanTassel. The first number on the program which was short and of an informal nature was the reading by Mrs. Helena Ikeler, of an excellent article on Flag Day, written by a member of the Reading Chapter of the D. A. R. This was followed by an account of the furnishing of Continental Hall at Washington, given by Mrs. M. E. Ent, who recently represented the local chapter at a convention at that place. Both the reading and the talk were very interesting and were followed by many questions relative to Flag Day. Light refreshments were served by the hostess and the remainder of the afternoon spent in a social manner.

### ATTENDED COMMENCEMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. William Chrisman and daughter, Miss Helen, have gone to Philadelphia to attend the commencement exercises of the Law School of the University of Pennsylvania, their son and brother Neil being a member of the graduating class. Neil is a popular and bright young man, and will no doubt succeed in his chosen profession.

Parr for \$450, but died before the deed was executed.

In the estate of Amelia Apple, late of Locust township, upon petition presented by C. E. Kriesher, Esq., the administrator, Albert Beaver, was permitted to resign and the sureties were discharged.

The hotel license of Charles E. Carl of Cleveland township, was transferred to Michael Gregorowicz, after hearing the testimony of Gregorowicz, J. R. Bibby and Frank Karvinsky. Mr. Kriescher represented the application.

The hotel license of M. T. Kalac, Freas avenue, West Berwick, was transferred to John Povalosky, after hearing the evidence of Povalosky, Samuel Linn and Parvin T. Grob. Judge Evans gave Povalosky a rigid cross examination as to whom he borrowed the money from inquiring particularly whether any of it had come from the Columbia Brewing Company.

James L. Evans, Esq., represented the transfer.

Upon petition presented by W. H. Rhawn, Esq., the writ of execution in the case of Charles E. Rauce et. al. vs. H. R. Baldy, debt \$835.53, was stayed for 30 days. In the meantime the levy of the Sheriff to remain in force.

In the matter of Harry Harman vs. J. W. Dodson and same vs. Lawson McHenry, on motion of C. A. Small, Esq., the rules in these cases are discharged upon the payment by the defendants the sum of \$33.72 in 30 days in each case.

Commonwealth ex rel vs. Daniel Eckard. On motion of District Attorney Small the rule in this case is made absolute.

In the estate of Jacob Moyer, deceased, upon motion of John G. Harman, Esq., and agreement of counsel the Court appointed Fred Ikeler, Esq., auditor to make distribution of the money realized from the proceedings in partition.

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